

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Chauncey F. Ross (deceased) *
Serial No.: (to be assigned) * Art Unit: (to be assigned)
Filed: (concurrently herewith) * Examiner: (to be assigned)
For: HYPODERMIC SYRINGE WITH *
IMPROVED NEEDLE TO CAPTURE *
PATIENT'S VEIN *

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R § 1.115

To the Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Va 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In the specification

Amend the specification by inserting as the first paragraph of page 1 as follows - -

RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is a division of Serial No. 10/286,707, filed October 31, 2002.

In the Claims

Amend the claims as shown on the next page.